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U.S. Patent Application No. 10/767,217 entitled "METHODS AND COMPOSITIONS

FOR ANALYSIS OF MITOCHONDRIAL-RELATED GENE EXPRESSION" - John

Papaconstantinou et al.

Our reference: CLFR:021US

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